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*Part I.*

INTERAGENCY PROBLEMS IN WHICH THE  
OFFICE OF INTELLIGENCE COORDINATION  
IS INVOLVED

(Note: The CIA components primarily concerned are indicated in the problem headings.)

1. NATO Intelligence Structure and Procedures (All Assistant Directors)

Problem: To produce a CIA position on proposals for (a) basic NATO intelligence organization, (b) procedures for warning of attack, and (c) interim intelligence guidance for SHAPE.

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Status: CIA concurrence signed by D/DCI in memorandum to General Megee indicating general agreement with (a) and (b) and desire to discuss details of U. S. internal arrangements for NATO's support when appropriate. O/NE preparing substantive comment on (c). Forwarded for signature (incl. procedural comment) 2 Feb.

2. Name Plate Analysis (O/RR)

Problem: To survey IAC agency arrangements for and progress in analysis of name plate data of Soviet and Satellite materials and to recommend appropriate machinery for interagency action.

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Status: Papers initiating survey in hands of Staff officers to the IAC members. Returns due by 8 Feb.

G 3. Biographic Intelligence (O/CD)

Problem: To recommend the most effective biographic facility for the Federal Intelligence System.

Status: Papers initiating survey are in the hands of the Staff officers to the IAC members.

4. O/SO-State Relations (O/SO, O/RR)

Problem: To explore the field of O/SO-State relations including problem of intelligence support for O/SO. Three support problems involved: (a) detailed area research (which may properly rest in O/RR), (b) responsibility for

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International Communism, and (c) biographic intelligence. Collateral problem is the evaluation of SO materials.

Status: Discussions have been held with State and O/SO. Further analysis on both sides is in progress.

5. Intelligence Support for O/PC (O/PC)

Problem: To arrange for intelligence support for O/PC in view of changes brought about by CIA reorganization and to recommend the necessary administrative adjustments.

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Status: Discussions have been held with State and O/PC.

6. Requirements (O/NE, O/SI, O/RR, O/CD, O/CI)

Problem: (a) The overall intelligence objectives and their effects on collection, including the value of DCID 4/2 and the proposals in IAC-D-12 on atomic energy objectives. (b) The mechanics of screening and coordinating specific requirements.

Status: (a) Discussions on this question and on the revision of DCID 4/2 (as prepared by O/RR) are being initiated were held with O/NE, O/SI, O/RR, O/CD, and O/CI. Management. (b) Awaiting paper from the office of Management staff paper. Under study in conjunction with ↑

7. Psychological Intelligence Support (O/RR)

Problem: To recommend the necessary arrangements for interagency support of psychological warfare.

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Status: Details have been discussed with State and discussions are being initiated with other IAC agencies.

8. NSC 29 - Protection of Strategic Resources and Industrial Facilities Abroad (I&S)

Problem: To recommend the location of responsibility for investigation and intelligence research for this purpose.

Status: State has agreed that neither investigation nor research is essentially a CIA function. State as action agency and coordinator on this project is drafting an analysis of the needs which a central operation on this project would have once State's interagency committee has defined the targets.

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9. Foreign Nationality Groups in the U. S. (O/O)

Problem: To recommend coordinated interagency procedures by which the intelligence potential of foreign nationality groups and individuals in the U. S. can be adequately exploited.

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Status: State suggested in discussions of 19 December 1950 that CIA should coordinate this activity. O/O has prepared a memorandum indicating what is being done and the difficulties in the way of further action, and recommending certain interagency coordination. Letter is in preparation for D/DCI's signature.

10. Economic Interpretation of Photographic Materials (O/RR)

Problem: To examine what CIA should do on this matter, and what should be done through interagency collaboration.

Status: State suggested in discussion of 19 December 1950 that CIA investigate this matter. O/RR is studying the proposal and possibilities.

11. NIS (O/RR)

Problem: To examine the necessity and the means of intensifying the National Intelligence Survey production program in order to meet imminent requirements for basic intelligence.

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Status: A memorandum from the interagency NIS Committee is under informal consideration with Staff officers to the IAC members for appraisal before submission to the IAC.

12. The Scientific Intelligence Committee (O/SI)

Problem: To examine the problems of O/SI in the field of interagency coordination in the production of scientific reports and estimates and in the preparation of coordinated production plans and to make appropriate recommendations.

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Status: Exploration is going forward.

13. Debriefing of Returning U. S. Officials (O/RR, O/O)

Problem: To recommend the location of responsibility for debriefing.

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Status: Informal interagency discussions have been completed. A memorandum is before the D/DCI recommending transfer of the function from O/RR to O/O and suggesting improvements.

G 14. Briefing of Outgoing Military Attaches (IOP 2) (O/RR)

Problem: To examine whether CIA should continue this briefing in view of the changes brought about by CIA reorganization.

Status: <sup>Non-</sup>Concurrence being sought from military agencies for the transfer of this function to the State Department. <sup>by</sup> Scope of briefing coverage by parent agency and State to be ascertained. Coverage of remainder (if any) will be provided by CIA.

15. Foreign Service Economic Reporting (O/RR, O/CD)

Problem: To prepare a coordinated CIA reply to the Bureau of the Budget report on this subject.

Status: Reply being coordinated with O/RR, O/CD, and Management.

16. Exploitation of Captured Sources (O/O)

Problem: To negotiate and recommend arrangements by which CIA will represent other non-military intelligence agencies in the exploitation of captured personnel, documents and material at facilities established by the JIC. REL

Status: JIG has submitted basic directives and detailed manuals for CIA concurrence. The basis of representation and detailed arrangements are being negotiated. DCI reply to Sec Def to be on IAC agenda 8 Feb. Further concurrence within CIA being sought.

17. State Department Cables (O/CI)

Problem: To arrange for the continued availability of top State Department cables for O/CI. JRR

Status: Negotiations with State under way.

G 18. British Intelligence Liaison Channels (O/CD, I&S)

Problem: To examine the channels by which CIA intelligence is passed to the British and to recommend appropriate procedures.

Status: Under study with O/CD and I&S. Draft papers covering unsatisfactory aspects of current practise, together with proposed corrective policy issue, have been forwarded to O/NE, O/CI, O/O, O/SI, O/RR, O/CD, O/so and Management, for comment.

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6 19. Documentation of Aliens (0/0)

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Status: Under study.

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